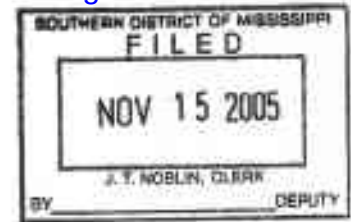


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RICHARD L. WARD

DEFENDANT

DISMISSAL OF COUNTERCLAIM

The Court being advised that the defendant does not desire to pursue further the counterclaim filed in this action, it is therefore

ORDERED, that the defendant's counterclaim is dismissed with prejudice.

SO ORDERED, this the 14th day of November, 2005.

s/ Keith Starrett
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Submitted by:

John S. Hill